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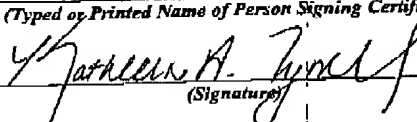
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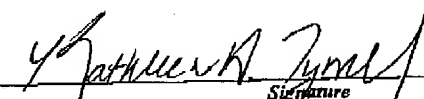
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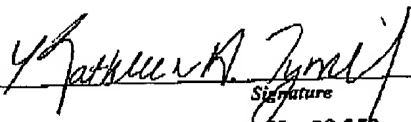
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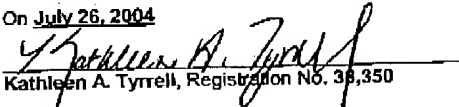
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Dear Sir:

Amendment to Correct Inventorship

Please correct the inventorship in the above-referenced  
patent application by deleting Jeremy Simpson and David  
Colantonio as inventors. The correct inventorship for the  
pending claims should thus be Jennifer E. Van Eyk, Ralf Labugger  
and Irena Neverova.

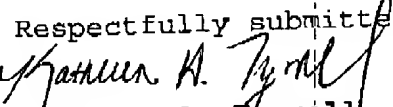
This correction in inventorship results from the  
cancellation of claims 9-28 in light of the Restriction  
Requirement mailed September 23, 2003. Cancellation of these

claims resulted in the invention of inventors Jeremy Simpson and David Colantonio no longer being claimed.

The requisite fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i) is provided herewith.

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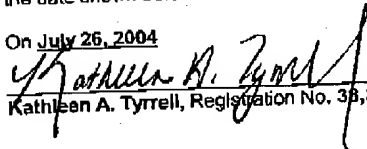
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This is a reply to the Office Action mailed March 25, 2004  
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Petition for a one (1) month extension of time and the requisite  
fee are provided herewith. Please enter the following amendments  
and remarks into the record.

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Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10.



